

West Virginia Reportable Infectious Diseases Facilities and Providers (WV Code 16-3-1; 64CSR7)



Reporting of the following communicable diseases is required by law as follows:

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Category I Report suspect or confirmed cases immediately to the Local Health Department	Category II Report within 24 hours to the Local Health Department	Category III Report within 72 hours to the Local Health Department	Category IV Report within 1 week to the Local Health Department	Category V Report within 1 week to the State Health Department
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anthrax • Bioterrorist event • Botulism • Foodborne outbreak • Intentional exposure to an infectious agent or biological toxin • Middle East respiratory syndrome coronavirus (MERS-CoV) • Novel influenza infection, animal or human • Orthopox infection, including smallpox and monkeypox • Outbreak or cluster of any illness or condition¹ • Plague • Rubella • Rubella, congenital syndrome • Rubeola (Measles) • SARS coronavirus infection • Smallpox • Tularemia • Viral hemorrhagic fevers² • Waterborne outbreak 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Animal bites • Brucellosis • Cholera • Dengue fever • Diphtheria • <i>Haemophilus influenzae</i>, invasive disease³ • Hemolytic Uremic Syndrome, postdiarrheal • Hepatitis A, acute⁴ • Hepatitis B, acute, chronic or perinatal⁴ • Hepatitis D⁴ • Meningococcal disease, invasive • Mumps, acute infection • Pertussis (whooping cough) • Poliomyelitis • Q-fever (<i>Coxiella burnetii</i>) • Rabies; human or animal • Shiga toxin-producing <i>Escherichia coli</i> (STEC)⁵ • <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> with glycopeptide-intermediate (GISA/VISA) or glycopeptide-resistant (GRSA/VRSA) susceptibilities³ • Tuberculosis; all forms³ • Typhoid fever (<i>Salmonella typhi</i>) • Yellow fever • Any other unusual condition or emerging infectious disease 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Campylobacteriosis • Cryptosporidiosis • Cyclospora • Giardiasis • Listeriosis • Salmonellosis (except Typhoid fever)³ • Shigellosis³ • Trichinosis • Vibriosis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acute flaccid myelitis (AFM) • Anaplasmosis • Arboviral infection • Babesiosis • Chickenpox (numerical totals only) • Erlichiosis • Hantavirus pulmonary syndrome • Influenza-related death in an individual less than 18 years of age • Legionellosis • Leptospirosis • Lyme disease • Malaria • Psittacosis • Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) – related death in an individual ≤ 5 years of age • Spotted fever rickettsiosis • Streptococcal disease, invasive Group B • Streptococcal toxic shock syndrome • <i>Streptococcus pneumoniae</i>, invasive³ • Tetanus • Toxic Shock Syndrome • Tuberculosis, latent infection 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AIDS • Chancroid • Chlamydia • Gonococcal conjunctivitis of the newborn (within 24 hours) • Gonococcal disease, drug resistant (within 24 hours) • Gonococcal disease, all other • Hepatitis C, acute³ • HIV • Pelvic inflammatory disease • Syphilis (late) • Syphilis, primary, secondary or early latent (less than 1 year duration) or congenital (within 24 hours)
¹ In any setting		³ Including results of susceptibility testing		⁴ Including results of hepatitis A and B serologies, transaminase levels and bilirubin
² Including filoviruses such as Ebola and Marburg and arenaviruses such as Lassa fever				⁵ Including but not limited to <i>E coli</i> O157:H7
Report name, address, telephone number, date of birth, sex, race ethnicity and the physician's name, office address, office phone and fax numbers, using the appropriate disease reporting form in the West Virginia Reportable Disease Protocol Manual: www.dide.wv.gov			West Virginia Department of Health & Human Resources Bureau for Public Health 350 Capitol Street, Room 125 Charleston, WV 25301 Phone: 304.558.5358, ext 1 In WV: 800.423.1271, ext 1 Answering service: 304.925.9946 Fax: 304.558.8736	

Reporting of the following diseases or conditions within one week of diagnosis (unless otherwise specified) is required by law as follows:



Reportable Condition	How to Report
Administration of Immunizations	Administration of immunizations to children age 0 through 18 years is reportable to the WV Statewide Immunization Information System (WVSIIS) electronically or by fax to 877-408-8927. Further information on immunization reporting can be obtained by calling WVSIIS at 877-408-8930.
Autism Spectrum Disorder	The Autism Spectrum Disorder Registry is maintained by Marshall University Autism Training Center. Any questions regarding reporting Autism Spectrum Disorders or acquiring reporting forms should be directed to the WV Autism Registry at 800-344-5115 or 304-696-2332.
Birth Defects: (WV Code 16-40-1) (WV Code of State Rules 64-81-1)	Birth Defects, including Down’s syndrome, are reported through medical records departments, birth certificates and Reproductive Outcomes Forms completed by the physician. Birth defects are collected on children up to age 6 or 72 months. Report forms and information on reporting of birth defects can be obtained by calling the Office of Maternal, Child and Family Health, Division of Research, Evaluation and Planning at 304-558-5388.
Cancer and Non-Malignant Intracranial and CNS Tumors	Cancers (except basal and squamous cell skin cancer or cervical cancer in situ) and non-malignant intracranial and CNS tumors diagnosed and/or treated by any West Virginia health care professional are to be reported to the West Virginia Cancer Registry within 6 months of diagnosis in a format compatible with the requirements of the National Program of Cancer Registries. Questions about reporting should be directed to the WV Cancer Registry at 800-423-1271. Or see: http://www.dhhr.wv.gov/oeps/cancer/Pages/CancerReporters.aspx
Lead: all blood lead test results	Reported information should include the patient’s name, address, (including county, date of birth, sex and lead levels as well as the reporting provider’s name and address, and any other information required by the director relevant to the purpose of this rule. Questions on lead reporting should be directed to the Office of Maternal, Child and Family Health, Division of Research, Evaluation and Planning at 304-558-5388.